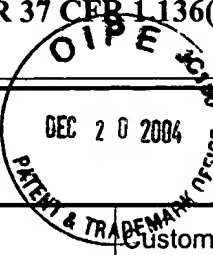


PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)  
(Large Entity)

Docket No.  
E-2041

In Re Application Of: Ernie Thomas & Lawrence Betz

DEC 20 2004



Application No.	Filing Date	Examiner	Customer No.	Group Art Unit	Confirmation No.
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Invention:

SEMI-CONDUCTIVE FORCED AIR SYSTEMS HAVING AMPLIFIED NOZZLES FOR HEATING LOW "E"  
COATED GLASS

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of June 15, 2004 above-identified application.  
*Date*

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☐ One month    ☐ Two months    ☒ Three months    ☐ Four months    ☐ Five months

from: 9/15/04    until: 12/15/04  
*Date*    *Date*

The fee for the extension of time is \$980 and is to be paid as follows:

- ☒ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.  
☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 05-0208  
☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 05-0208  
☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

**WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.**

*Signature*

Dated: December 15, 2004

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